



# Saint Peter the Apostle Catholic Church

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July 20, 2025

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Holy Mass Schedule

Monday	No Mass
Tuesday	5:15 p.m.
Wednesday	Noon
Thursday	5:15 p.m.
Friday	10:00 a.m.
Saturday	4:00 p.m.
Sunday	7:00 a.m.
	10:30 a.m.
St. David	8:30 a.m.

## Confession:

Saturday 2:45-3:45 p.m. & 30 minutes before all other Masses or by appointment.

## Baptism:

Arrangements made by the parents with the Pastor. Godparents must be Confirmed and practicing Catholics.

## Marriage

Arrangements made by the couple with the pastor no less than 6 months before desired date. Check with priest **BEFORE** any plans are made.

## Anointing:

Emergency calls are answered immediately; call office for Holy Communion or Anointing of the Sick.

## Office Hours:

Monday: Closed  
Tues-Thurs 8am-3pm  
Friday-8 am-Noon  
Lunch: Noon- 1pm

Please pray for the repose of the souls of:

Pervis "Peewee" Miller

Myrna Faye Faulk Hernandez

Alice Meceal Smith

Steven Paul Meaux

Eternal rest grant unto them

And let perpetual light shine upon them.

May all the souls of the faithful departed

Rest in peace

**PRAY FOR A  
SUCCESSFUL  
RICE HARVEST &  
OUR LOCAL  
FARMERS**

*St. Isidore, patron of  
farmers and workers  
pray for us.*

AS HARVEST BEGINS, WE THANK YOU FOR THE FARMERS IN OUR COMMUNITY. FOR THE LONG HOURS THEY PUT IN. FOR THE RISKS THEY TAKE AND FOR THE FOOD THEY HELP PUT ON OUR TABLES.

PROTECT THEM AS THEY WORK. ON THE ROAD, IN THE FIELD, AND THROUGH EVERY LONG, HOT DAY. WHEN FRUSTRATION HITS, GIVE THEM PATIENCE. WHEN THINGS GO WRONG, REMIND THEM YOU'RE STILL IN CONTROL.

WE ALSO LIFT UP THEIR FAMILIES. THE ONES BRINGING MEALS TO THE FIELD, KEEPING THINGS GOING AT HOME, AND WAITING LATE INTO THE NIGHT FOR THAT LAST LOAD TO COME IN. GIVE THEM STRENGTH TOO.

THANK YOU FOR EVERYONE BEHIND THE SCENES. THOSE RUNNING THE ELEVATORS, DELIVERING FUEL, FIXING EQUIPMENT, AND HELPING KEEP THINGS MOVING. GIVE THEM STRENGTH FOR THE DEMANDS OF EACH DAY

FOR EACH ONE, REMIND THEM THAT YOU'RE WITH THEM THROUGH EVERY MOMENT OF EVERY DAY.

IN JESUS' NAME,  
AMEN.

 ST. PETER THE APOSTLE CATHOLIC CHURCH

# Prayer for the Sick

ALMIGHTY and Eternal God, the everlasting salvation of them that believe, hear us on behalf of Thy sick servant, N.N., for whom we implore the aid of Thy pitying mercy, that, with his/her bodily health restored, s/he may render thanks to Thee in Thy Church. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Kaleb Beard  
Dorothy, Robert Begnaud  
Maurice Benoit, Jr.  
Tabby B. Benoit  
Roberta Broussard  
Christine Campbell  
Angela Chambless  
Angela Chasson  
Tammy B. Cormier  
Shelley Dunn  
Dana Guidry  
Skyler Guidry  
Mona Guidry  
Dwight Hardee  
Lorraine, Larry Hardy  
Johnny Johnson  
Lil Rob Lounsberry  
Ellisyn, Emersyn, Addisyn, Sydney, Dexter  
Harris  
Ryan Jeske  
Angie Lemaire  
Irving LeBeouf  
Tommy Lepretre  
Beverly Lougon  
Julie, Percy Lougon  
Tegan Love  
Robert Mire and family  
Sidonia Primeaux  
Greg, Donna Reech  
Cassandra Reed  
Amy Sonnier  
Bobbie Trahan  
Josie, Lillie, Daniel Tran  
Felicia, Karine, Lance, Landon, Margaret,  
Raven,  
Riley; Walter Jolivette III,  
Alton, Kylee, Baylie, Nancy, Nia Ned  
Sandra, Millard Verret  
Naomi Wilson  
Peyton Woods

**July 13, 2025**

**St. Peter**

First Collection \$2090.00

Second Collection \$1681.00

**St. David**

First Collection \$373.00

Second Collection \$61.00

Second collection this weekend is for  
Bishop's Services Appeal

## **St. Bridget Prayers, Explained!**

St. Bridget of Sweden (d. 1373) was a noblewoman of the Middle Ages whose renowned mysticism centered on the passion of Christ. A mother of eight and an attendant at the royal court in Sweden, as a widow she founded the Order of the Most Holy Savior, advocated for reform in the church and for the return of the Pope to Rome from France.

The St. Bridget Prayers refer to 15 prayers attributed to Bridget which evoke the imagery of Christ's suffering and death, plead for the forgiveness of the supplicant's sins, for a happy death, for fear and love of the Lord, and for a renunciation of worldly desires.

For many years, these prayers were associated with divine promises, though in 1954 the Catholic Church declared that it could not be said that these promises were of supernatural origin. The prayers themselves remain beloved and popular devotions to Christ's passion.

### Prayer for Priests

O Jesus, our great High Priest, hear my humble prayers on behalf of your priests. Give them a deep faith, a bright and firm hope and a burning love which will ever increase in the course of their priestly life. In their loneliness, comfort them. In their sorrows, strengthen them. In their frustrations, point out to them that it is through suffering that the soul is purified, and show them that they are needed by the Church; they are needed by souls; they are needed for the work of redemption.

7/20	7/21	7/22	7/23	7/24	7/25	7/26
Reverend Seth Lemaire, JCL	Reverend Jaimie Lorenzo, LC	Reverend Michael Luxbacher, LC	Reverend Msgr. H.A. Larrouque	Very Rev Msgr Curtis Mallet, VG	Reverend Arockia Mariasusai	Reverend Arockiea Mariasusai

### Please pray for Seminarians:

O Lord Jesus Christ, great High Priest, lead our seminarians in Your unerring footsteps; so that they may become priests who are models of purity, possessors of wisdom and heroes of sacrifice. Teach them generosity and detachment from worldly goods; but above all, teach them to know You and to love You, the One and Only Eternal Priest. Amen

7/20	7/21	7/22	7/23	7/24	7/25	7/26
Michael Johnson	Drew Landry	Reverend Mr. Brett Lee	Christopher Lee	Isaac Lejeune	Ian McElwee	Reverend Mr Stephen Melancon

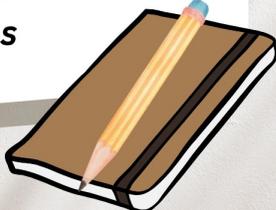


# CCD REGISTRATION

**REGISTRATION WILL BEGIN  
July 22 THROUGH August 5th.**

**FORMS WILL BE AVAILABLE IN  
CHURCH AND AT THE  
CHURCH OFFICE.**

*1<sup>st</sup> through 7<sup>th</sup> grade- CCD Classes  
8<sup>th</sup> Grade- Confirmation Classes*




ST. PETER THE APOSTLE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Tuesday	07/22	5:15 pm	St. Peter Church
Wednesday	07/23	Noon	St. Peter Church
Intention:	Laura Zaunbrecher (BD)		
Thursday	07/24	5:15 pm	St. Peter Church
Intention:	Deceased family members of Charlie, Lillian, Curtis, Stuna Breaux; Barbra, Debbie Benoit; Connie Dommert; Theresa, James Miller; conversion of all political leaders; souls in purgatory; Woodrow, Donna Sarver; Josie, Lillian, Daniel Tran.		
Friday	07/25	10:00 am	Gueydan Memorial Guest Home
Saturday	07/26	4:00 pm	St. Peter Church
Intentions:			

- Renee' Benoit
- Dorene & Dorothy Broussard, Anne, Clalie, Wilson dePerrodil, Neal, Peter Paul, Mark Trahan.
- Irvin, M/M Wilfred Broussard, Sr., Christie, Wilfred Broussard, Jr., Marvin Compton, Susan Earls, Jude Fluitt, Robert Paul Francez, Barbara, Faye, Francis, George, Henrietta, Jim, Lenia, Mildred, Bob, Pat & Wilbur Klein, Cathy, Stan Langley Betty, Percy LaPoint, M/M Sidney Lounsberry, Floyd Saltzman, Carrie Walpole
- Arnold, Duci, Stephen P., Steve, Jr., Theresa, JE & Walter Meaux
- Kathryn M. Hatch, Mary, Nolan LeBlanc family, Dorothy, Ellis Toups family, Joseph Zaunbrecher family, William "Bill", Nona, Billy Zaunbrecher
- Clyde Reese
- Crip, Edith Bertrand; B.B., J.W., Evelyn Breaux; Aldis, Marie, Bernice, Jane, Clevenis, Eriste, Craig , Brenda, Robert P., Rodney J., Wanda, Wilfred "Blanc Broussard; Joe Gaspard; Johnnie B. Hebert; Ryan Henry;, Ruby, Wallace Istre; Donald, Shawn Linscomb; Jo Ann, Jules, Jules C., Ouida ., Wayne Martin; Albay, Anite Thibodeaux.
- Ellen Hargrave
- Mike, Dot Sztroin
- Hazel, Ted, Ronnie, Mae Guidry; Bonnie, Oran, Jared, Jeanette, Joshua LeJeune; Rebecca McDaniels; Leonard, Wesley Snoddy; Aaron Wilkins.
- Willie Mae, Wilson LeJeune
- Ernest, Dolores Lepretre
- Lisa Lapointe
- Barbara Touchet

Sunday	07/27	7:00 am	St. Peter Church
Intention:	Carol Badon		
		8:30 am	St. David Chapel
Intention:	Emery & Evelyn Dupuis; William Hardee, Logan LeMaire; Evelyn, Winston Landry; Mary Ann Hargrave; Ann Henry; Patrick & Wayne Lemaire; Emick & Helen "Sis" Melancon; Nellie, Thomas & Willie Petry; Bradley Schexnider; Velma Trahan; Anna Mae, Bert & Johnny Darbonne; Karl & Dr. Reno Petry; Earline Hardee; Erin & Preston Greene; Lou & Vincent Habetz; Hubert, Velta & Kenneth Gaspard; Melissa LeJeune; Guy LeDoux & deceased family; Tawana Vaughn; June S. Trahan; Nancy Trahan; Vernis "Slim" Leger; Marshall Allen Frick; Christie Broussard; Winston Landry, Mark Trahan, EA Freeland		
Intention: Pro Populo		10:30 am	St. Peter Church

## July 20

Let a man fear, above all, me, his God, and so much the gentler will he become toward my creatures and animals, on whom, on account of me, their Creator, he ought to have compassion.  
 - St. Bridget of Sweden (1303-1373), Visionary, Foundress, Feast Day July 23